

Hampton Police Division Media Release

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Robbery Investigation: 100 Block of Marketplace Drive

At 2:36 p.m., the suspect entered the Wells Fargo Bank located in the 100 block of Marketplace Drive. The suspect approached a teller and provided her with a note demanding money. After obtaining an undisclosed amount of U.S. Currency, the suspect fled from the bank in a white Honda.

The suspect vehicle was located at West Mercury Boulevard and Jefferson Avenue and was pursued across the James River Bridge. Once the suspect vehicle crossed the bridge Isle of Wight Sheriff's Office assisted in the pursuit until the Virginia State Police could make a traffic stop at the Isle of Wight Industrial Park. The suspect was taken into custody without incident.

The suspect's identity will be withheld until he is formally charged. As more information becomes available it will be released.

The Hampton Police Division would like to extend its appreciation to both the Isle Wight Sheriff's Office and the Virginia State Police for their assistance in the apprehension of this suspect.

Corporal Mary Shackelford will receive questions about this release at 757-846-6866.

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